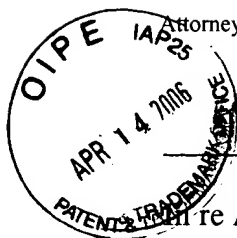


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AMENDMENT

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PETITION

Applicant hereby petitions for a 2-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of December 9, 2005. A check in the amount of \$1050 in payment of the government fee of \$600 for the addition of 3 independent claim in excess of 3 and \$450 for a 2-month extension of time is enclosed herewith so that the period for response is extended to May 9, 2006. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the present application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

RESPONSE

Amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

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